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In Re Application of:

Amos B. Smith III, et al.

Application No.: 09/730,929

Filing Date: December 6, 2000

**For: COMPOUNDS WHICH MIMIC THE CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL
PROPERTIES OF DISCODERMOLIDE**

Confirmation No.: 7967

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The subject continuation-in-part application was filed on December 6, 2000 with an unexecuted Declaration listing bibliographic information for inventors Amos B. Smith III, Thomas J. Beauchamp, Matthew J. LaMarche and Hirokazu Arimoto, which bibliographic information was initially drawn from the parent application.

On January 25, 2001 a Filing Receipt under confirmation number 7967 was issued by the PTO in respect of this Application reflecting the bibliographic information as provided on the unexecuted Declaration.

On January 25, 2001 a Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was issued by the PTO requiring, among additional items, that an executed oath or declaration be entered in this Application.

On August 24, 2001, Applicant, by its Attorneys-of-Record, filed a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, a copy of which filing as transmitted to the PTO is enclosed herewith. In this Response to File Missing Parts of Application, an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney pursuant to CFR 1.63(e) was duly entered, which Declaration and Power of Attorney was executed by inventors Amos B. Smith, III, Thomas J. Beauchamp and Matthew J. Lamarche. In this particular case, fewer inventors were named in the executed declaration for the present application than had been named in the parent application. Applicant notes that a corrected Filing Receipt did not issue in this Application subsequent to the entrance of the executed Declaration.

Accordingly, pursuant to CFR 1.48(f)(1), Applicant kindly requests the PTO issue a Corrected Filing Receipt to reflect only those inventors having executed the Declaration and Power of Attorney as filed in the Response to Missing Parts in this application -- inventors Amos B. Smith, Thomas J. Beauchamp and Matthew J. Lamarche.

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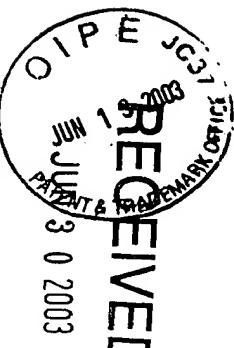
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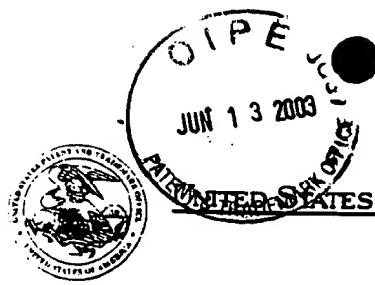
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